

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Gathered in Town, County and Neighborhood.

—Let every patriot celebrate.

—Wheat harvest will begin within a few days.

—Don't cringe. Throw out your chest and crow.

—There promises to be a long season of dryness in Trumbull county.

—There are always matters of interest in the Dispatch advertising columns.

—A daughter was born Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holben of Calla.

—There will be no delivery of mail on rural routes Friday, the Fourth of July being a legal holiday.

—The Leetonia Reporter, T. S. Arnold's paper, is to have a new home of its own a fact it pleases the Dispatch to note.

—John Vandergrift, a civil war veteran aged 72, died last week in Mineral Ridge. He is survived by his wife and several children.

—Mrs. Laura Stanley, a nurse, walked in her sleep in an Alliance home one night last week and fell from a second story window. A bone in one of her ankles was fractured.

—Postmaster General Burleson issued an order making ordinary postage stamps good on parcel post packages. The parcel post stamps are also valid on all classes of mail.

—The body of an unknown man was found lying along the B. & O. tracks in Newton Falls Friday morning. It is supposed the man was stealing a ride when he fell from the train and was killed.

—A. W. Green on Tuesday retired as a clerk in the Alliance postoffice where he was continuously employed for 37 years. He will spend his remaining years with a daughter in Providence, R. I.

—Next in the order of events will be the effort to add Youngstown to the dry column. It would be a hot fight and scare a lot of the liquor men there out of about a year's growth.—Warren Chronicle.

—The supreme council of the United Commercial Travelers has shouldered a big contract in attempting to break up the custom of tipping. The practice has so long been in vogue that at least a generation must pass before it is forgotten.

—The will of John Snyder of Newton Falls, has been filed in probate. He leaves all of his property to be divided equally between his son, Jas. Snyder and his daughter, Mrs. O. C. Beardsley. The son's name is executor of the will.

—The annual reunion of the 18th O. V. I. will be held in Alliance Sept. 2. The regiment originally consisted of 88 commissioned officers and 997 enlisted men. Of the 38 officers only two are living and not more than 40 of the 997 enlisted men survive.

—Warren Chronicle: President Wilson, Thursday, sent the name of Charles C. Fowler to the senate for confirmation as postmaster at Canfield. Mr. Fowler is editor of The Mahoning Dispatch at Canfield. He has been a life long democrat, and was an ardent Wilson supporter in the last campaign.

—Trumbull county, which has been dry nearly five years, voted last Saturday under the Rose local option law and decided by a majority of 1,938 to continue in the dry column. This is a majority of nearly one thousand greater than in 1908. In the election Saturday Warren went dry by 316 votes. Niles went wet by 594 and Girard went wet by 199. All the rural townships in the county went dry.

—An Atwater correspondent writes: That the hay crop in this vicinity will be short is again confirmed by the word of farmers who have local opinion for their products today. The hard frosts in May stunted the growth and did irreparable injury. Many of the farmers also report discouraging prospects for the wheat crop. Indications are that the heads are not properly filling and that the result will be a much diminished yield. Corn is a better subject to write about. The fields generally show a good, vigorous growth.

—Revolutionary change in the parcel post system will be recommended by Postmaster General Bacon and the national parcel post commission created by the last congress by Representative David J. Lewis of Maryland, the leading authority on parcel post in the House. Mr. Lewis recommends an increase in the weight limit from 11 pounds to 100 pounds on all packages to be collected and delivered. He has made thorough investigation of the cost of postal transportation and finds that a half cent will pay the cost of carrying a pound package 250 miles.

—The Jefferson Gazette says to show what can be done with small fruit in this county if it is properly cared for we mention the experience of E. E. Taylor of Ashtabula. Mr. Taylor has but one tree of heart cherries. He sprayed the tree and has just picked the crop. His one tree produced 18 bushels of marketable cherries, in fact the finest cherries we have ever seen. The crop sold for 10 cents per quart or \$57.60 for one tree. Yet, people sell out and move to California to engage in the fruit business. A year or so ago a man whose farm is west of Ashtabula sold his peach crop for \$6.00.

—The house fly as a death distributor is only recently receiving the attention it deserves. Flies carry infection not only to exposed milk, but directly to the baby's mouth, or to the nipple of its bottle. Insistence upon screens for the baby's rooms and for the baby's bed is a part of the campaign against infant mortality; and the work, it is advised, should go even further than this and should include the destruction of flies by every known method and removal of the breeding places. Whether or not the stable fly is the only carrier of the germ of infant paralysis it is certainly one, probably the principal carrier. Upon the opening of summer a thorough listing of all horse stables and livery barns, whether public or private, is made by such cities as Seattle and Indianapolis, and complete measures for the control of the fly breeding places are instituted.

—Homer Van Wye of Warren, while operating a hay tedder Tuesday was thrown off and broke one of his legs near the ankle.

—During a storm Tuesday afternoon lightning struck a maple tree near the residence of E. J. Burgett at Hickory and stunned the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riley. Mr. Burgett, who was near the tree when the child, was not affected.

—Forrest Yoder, a farmer who resided three miles west of Maximo, Stark county, was killed by lightning shortly after noon Tuesday. He and two sons were hauling a load of hay into the barn when a bolt of lightning killed the father and both horses. The boys were shocked but uninjured. On account of the heavy rain the load of hay did not take fire.

—More than 75 per cent of the property owners on state road between Salem and Westville have signed petitions for the paving of the road between these two points, a distance of seven miles, and these petitions will be presented to the county commissioners of Mahoning and Columbiana counties. This should be one of the stretches of road easy to pave, as there is no considerable cuts or fills to increase the cost. Then in expense of this two counties and five townships will be interested. It is proposed to pave 18 feet in width, and through Damascus, a width of 30 feet will be asked.—Salem Herald.

—With Ohio at the head of the list, Indiana third and Kentucky twelfth, the Ohio Valley States take front rank in the absorption of postal savings bonds of the issue of July 1 according to a statement of Postmaster General Burleson. Ohio, with a bond conversion of \$199,440, has taken nearly one fifth of the total of \$1,116,880. This issue is the fifth to be made since the installation of the postal savings banks, and Ohio has ranked first every time but the first. The previous bond issue was on January 1 last, when Ohio took up \$194,440 of the bonds. The present allotment is an increase of 2.6 per cent over that figure.

—The metropolitan bankers do not seem to like the administration currency bill very much, so we suppose those who thought at first that the measure was dictated by Wall Street are about convinced that they were mistaken. Such objections as several of the bankers have are not very clear at this time and probably will not be until the full text of the bill is available for inspection.

Mr. Morgan's objection that such a bill enacted into law would turn over the business of the banks to the politicians seems to us at this time to be unfounded. We have foreseen that a multitude of dictators controlled by the central board in Washington would not be to the liking of the great banks, nor are we surprised that the banks of New York and Chicago object to the regional reserve system and prefer the central bank. But that the bill as it has been introduced or as it is likely to pass will be so objectionable as to prompt many banks to surrender their charters is not likely.

The New York banks must resign themselves to the certainty that New York's financial power through the concentration of the reserves of interior banks is to be greatly modified. That process has been in evidence even under the present system. Chicago, St. Louis and other Western cities have already blossomed into great financial centers and there is no reason to believe that the process could be arrested, even if congress were to refuse to enact any currency legislation whatever.

Even if some of the metropolitan banks were to surrender their charters, it would not disastrously affect matters under the regional reserve system. The interior banks would still remain independent of the metropolitan banks, and to establish this independence completely is one of the objects of the legislation proposed by the administration bill.

It is quite probable that the bill as introduced by Mr. Glass is generally supplied with defects, but the president foresaw that possibility and made it clear that he expected congress to feel free to amend it. That was an open-minded attitude entirely creditable to the president. So instead of raising a disturbance at this time, the great bankers ought to concern themselves chiefly about pointing out what in their judgment would be hurtful to the country. The bill first goes to the committee on banking and currency, where all shades of financial opinion may have a hearing. Then it goes to the house caucus, then to the house itself and after that to the senate, where it will obtain a most searching investigation.

With this degree of scrutiny, including deliberate consideration by the conference committee, surely vital defects may be discovered and eliminated or remedied. The city bankers must realize that the demand of the country is to get its legitimate business out of the clutches of financial centers which so frequently become the raging maelstrom of frenzied speculation and crooked stock-jobbing. They must make up their minds to part with much of the power they have heretofore exerted, for legitimate business intends to be emancipated, and it would be much better for the great bankers to accept this situation than to interpose futile opposition.—Houston Post.

Granted Life Certificates.

Columbus, O., June 30. In the examination for teachers' certificates which has just closed here 151 applicants were examined. Only a few failed to pass. Among those granted life certificates are: George W. Alloway, Youngstown; Charles E. Blue, Ashtabula; J. Lee Hartman, Mansfield; Milton C. Warren, Mt. Pleasant; Edwin S. Walker, Lorain; E. M. Armstrong, Girard; Linda L. Arnold, Cleveland; Beattie H. Creed, Youngstown; Grace G. Dancy, Youngstown; Mary E. Danbach, Akron; Mamie Fishel, Newton Falls; Ella M. Hopper, Youngstown; Gwendoline Hartzell, Alliance; Lucy Hadley, Youngstown; Josephine Hammond, Steubenville; Mary J. James, Youngstown; Mildred Newhurst, Youngstown; Elizabeth C. Jones, Youngstown; Ida C. Knox, Youngstown; Mrs. Mahel Legalley, Alliance; Rose Morrison, Cleveland; Florence N. McBride, Mansfield; Clara W. Miller, Youngstown; Iva B. Pearson, Lorain; Elizabeth Rice, Ashtabula; Morton Robinson, Youngstown; Harriet M. Trisler, Lancaster; Maud Valentine, Youngstown; Ann Wheeler, Canton; Oscar C. Minkler, Moravia; Emma Katherine Ripley, Warren.

## YOUNG WOMAN SAYS SULZER JILTED HER

Sues Governor of New York for Breach of Promise.

Philadelphia, July 2.—Miss Mignon Hopkins, the daughter of a well to do Brooklyn attorney, now dead, entered suit in this city Tuesday against Gov. William Sulzer of New York for breach of promise. Miss Hopkins, who is one of three attractive sisters, stipulates the date of her engagement to the governor and in her claim says that she has endeavoring letters from him to show that he intended to make her his bride and that he jilted her and married a Philadelphia woman in Atlantic City on Jan. 8, 1908. Miss Hopkins is a beautiful blonde of about 28 and is now employed in a department store in this city.

Recites Charges.

In the affidavit which Miss Hopkins made and which Mr. Patterson, her attorney, took oath to the charges, recite that "one William Sulzer of New York broke a contract of engagement with Mignon Hopkins made in New York on Sept. 15, 1903.

"At this time the deponent swears that the aforesaid William Sulzer became engaged to her and that he asked her to keep it secret until he was married her, as for him to do so at that time would have injured his political career. From time to time the aforesaid deponent swears that she lived with the aforesaid William Sulzer for a brief period in various hotels in New York and other places and that the aforesaid William Sulzer introduced her as his wife to his acquaintances. The aforesaid deponent, Mignon Hopkins, further swears that she continued these relations with William Sulzer until Nov. 7, 1907, when, by reason of illness of her sister in Boston, when she left him to visit that city and that while there she received from him several endearing letters which frequently referred to his promise to wed her.

Says She Was Distressed.

"The deponent avers that she was distressed and affected to learn that on Jan. 8, 1908, that William Sulzer married Phyllis in Atlantic City and that since that time she has not seen nor heard from him regarding the cause of the breaking of his contract to marry the deponent. Since the aforesaid William Sulzer is a man of position and of means and property, the deponent prays the honorable court to award her substantial damages for the wrongs which she has sustained."

This was the affidavit which was sworn to before Judge Ferguson and on which the summons was issued.

New York, July 2.—Information reached New York a fortnight ago that the next attack upon Gov. Sulzer by his Tammany foes would be an attack upon his moral character. A Tammany office holder was collecting "evidence" and the affidavits for use in the suit. The charges related to alleged misconduct of Gov. Sulzer with women prior to his marriage on Jan. 8, 1908. Whether the suit began in Philadelphia Tuesday has any relation to the other suit is not known.

## NAVAL OFFICERS ARE RETIRED

Fourteen Men Are Removed From Active Service by United States Plucking Board.

Washington, July 2.—Fourteen naval officers, including several of the best known men in the service, were selected Tuesday by the plucking board and were placed on the retired list, along with ten others who voluntarily had asked for retirement. Those forced off the active list are:

Capt. Templin M. Potts, commanding the battleship Louisiana; Capt. Washington I. Chambers, on duty in Washington, in charge of the navy aviation corps; Capt. John G. Quinby, commanding the naval training station, Norfolk, Va.; Capt. John M. Elliott, commanding the armored cruiser Maryland on the Pacific station; Capt. Chester M. Knepper, naval war college, Newport, R. I.; Commander Clarence M. Stone, on duty in Washington; Commander Albert L. Norton, on duty in Washington; Commander Arthur B. Hoff, naval academy, Annapolis; Commander George M. Mitchell, commanding the gunboat Paducah; Lieutenant Commander R. S. Douglas, commanding the supply ship Glacier, Pacific station; Lieutenant Commander John L. Sticht, naval war college, Newport; Lieutenant Commander C. P. Burton, Newport News, Va.; Lieutenant Commander C. T. Wade, on leave in New Jersey, and Lieut. E. E. Scranton, battleship Oregon, Pacific station.

Fining School Children Pays.

Montclair, N. J., July 2.—Fining school children for breaking windows, tearing books carelessly, or doing any one of a dozen other things which cause loss to taxpayers, has netted the town treasury \$404. The year's collection of penalties made up of pennies, nickels and dimes, amounted to 64 pounds in weight.

BEWARE OF QUINTINES FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by E. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by E. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Advertisement.

The girl who is as pretty as a picture generally has negative qualities.

## Telegraphic Briefs

Well Known Railroad Dies. Milwaukee. — William James, 74, former general agent for the Vanderbilt system and well known in railroad circles throughout the east, died at his home here.

Five Die in Fire. New York. — Five persons burned to death and 20 or more seriously injured in a fire which destroyed an immigrant hotel at 66 Greenwich street in the downtown section.

Three Hurt as Roundhouse Falls. Dayton, O. — Three men were injured and several scores narrowly escaped when the C. H. & D. roundhouse collapsed. None of the men were seriously injured.

Carat Uniform Weight. New York. — Beginning Tuesday the weight of the carat, heretofore at slight variance in various circles, will be internationally standardized at 200 milligrams for weighing all kinds of gems and precious stones.

Honor Dead Heroes.

Port Recovery, O. — A crowd estimated at 8,000 assembled here Tuesday for the unveiling of the monument erected by congress in honor of the heroes of the battles at the opening of the northwest territory.

Bolt Kills Farmer and Horses. Alliance, O. — Lightning instantly killed Forrest Yoder, 45, farmer at Maximo, near here. He and his two sons were in the hay field when the storm came up. The bolt also killed the horses.

Cupid Breaks Records.

Philadelphia. — Records for the number of June weddings in this city were broken during the month just closed. The number of licenses totaled 2,103, 176 more than last year for the same month when previous records were broken.

WOMEN TO HEAR TESTIMONY

The First Jury of Females Ever Drawn to Try Felony Case in a Superior Court.

San Francisco, July 2.—"Do not discuss this case among yourselves, or with any persons on earth between now and the trial of this case."

With this waste of breath, Superior Judge Frank H. Dunne missed until next Monday the first jury of women ever drawn to try a felony case in a superior court. The 12 women were drawn to try Mrs. Bertha J. Williams, charged with sending a threatening letter through the mails with a view to extortion.

The selection of the 12 good women and true was accomplished by a process of elimination. In the jury box were 60 slips of paper. On 30 of the slips were names of women. On the other 30 were names of men. But when a man's name was drawn he was challenged and excused on the flimsiest of objections. All but one of the women chosen are married and the mothers of children.

New City Is Placed on Map. Beacon, N. Y., July 2.—A new city was placed officially on the map of New York state Tuesday, when the sister villages of Matteawan and Fishkill became merged as the city of Beacon. Beacon incidentally brings to the state the first trial of the commission form of government in New York. Mayor Frost took office Tuesday with five commissioners, who will be aided by an advisory committee of 20.

50 Hurt in Trolley Crash. Sharon, Pa., July 2.—Jumping the rails at a sharp curve in Sharpesville, a Sharon-bound suburban street car crashed across the road and into a telegraph pole. Fifty passengers were bruised. The four most seriously injured were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Burke, John Holmes and John Conway. The motorman says the brakes refused to hold.

DAILY MARKET REPORTS

Financial.

New York, July 2.—Money on call 1 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6 per cent. Sterling exchange \$4.86.30 for demand.

Governments bonds steady.

Grain, Provisions and Live Stock.

Cleveland, July 2.—Flour—Minnesota patents \$4.90@5.50.

Wheat—No. 2 red 11.02.

Corn—No. 2 yellow 45 1/2c.

Oats—No. 3 white 44c.

Butter—Best creamery 29 1/2c@30c.

Cheese—Swiss 18 1/2c@19c.

Eggs—Strictly fresh 18 1/2c@19c.

Potatoes—Best grades 35c bu.

Hay—No. 1 timothy \$13.50.

Cattle—Best steers \$8.00@8.25, calves \$9.50@10.25.

Sheep—Choice wethers \$4.50@5.00, choice spring lambs \$5.00@5.25.

Hogs—Yorkers \$5.50, pigs \$5.95.

Toledo, July 2.—Wheat—Cash \$1.00.

Corn—Cash 43c.

Oats—Cash 45c.

Clover Seed—Cash \$12.75.

Buffalo, July 2.—Cattle—Prime steers \$4.75@5.00, shipping \$5.00@5.25.

Hogs—Yorkers \$9.10@9.15, pigs \$9.10@9.15.

Sheep—Wethers \$5.00@5.25, clipped lambs \$5.00@5.50.

Pittsburgh, July 2.—Cattle—Heavy steers \$5.45@5.75, fat steers \$7.50@8.25.

Hogs—Cash \$5.85, pigs \$5.25.

Sheep—Top sheep \$5.85, top lambs \$5.00.

Calves—Top \$10.00.

Chicago, July 2.—Wheat—July 89 1/2c.

Corn—July 60 1/2c.

Oats—July 40 1/2c.

Pork—July \$12.50.

Lard—July \$11.25.

Cattle—Beef \$7.20@8.35, stockers and feeders \$5.75@6.00.

Hogs—Heavy \$5.35@5.50, pigs \$4.75@5.00.

Sheep—Native \$4.50@5.15, lambs native \$5.50@6.75.

The Best Medicine in the World.

"My little girl had dysentery very bad. I thought she would die. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured her, and I can truthfully say that I think it is the best medicine in the world," writes Mrs. William Orvis, Clare, Mich. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

A household remedy in America for 25 years.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

For all sprains, burns, scalds, bruises, etc., and 50c. At all drug stores.—Adv.

The Strouss-Hirshberg Co.—Dependability

## Great July Disposal of Hardwick &amp; Magee Rugs

All wise and wide-awake home keepers know what exceptional opportunities come with the half-yearly clearance of Hardwick & Magee Rugs.

They know that the sale prices are possible only twice a year—and they are fully acquainted with the extra-excellence and supreme durability of the Rugs, themselves.

That's about all that need be said, except that we should impress you with the fact that early shopping is advisable, if you care to pick your Rugs from the complete selections.

The range of patterns is unusually good, including the newest and richest effects produced for this season. The sale's great features:

## Bundhar Wilton Rugs

Hardwick & Magee's famous Rugs

that they refer to as "durable as iron"

Longwearing, splendidly-woven Wilton Rugs that are absolutely unexcelled at their regular prices—and extraordinary values at the sale prices that go into effect here.

4.6x7.6 reg. \$15.50, reduced to \$12.25.

6x9 ft., reg. \$28.00, reduced to \$21.50

9x9 ft., reg. \$37.50, reduced to \$28.25.

9x12 ft., reg. \$43.00, at \$33.50-\$37.50

10.6x10.6, reg. \$52.50, reduced to \$40.50

10.6x14 ft., reg. \$67.50, reduced to \$56.00

10.6x14 ft., reg. \$70.00, reduced to \$57.50

## Hardwick Wilton Rugs

Hardwick & Magee's fine Wilton

Rugs known throughout the country

as "perfection in weavery." Only in

the room-size, 9x12 ft.

Regularly \$47.50, on sale for \$36.50.

## Extra Quality Body Brussels

Hardwick & Magee's widely-famed

Body Brussels Rugs that are really

what the name suggests, of "extra

quality." No better-wearing Body

Brussels Rugs are known. The various

sizes at the sale prices.

8.3x10.6 reg. \$29.75, reduced to \$24.00

9x9 ft., reg. \$27.00, reduced to \$21.75

9x10.6, reg. \$30.75, reduced to \$25.00

10.6x10.6, reg. \$39.50, reduced to \$30.25

10.6x12 ft., reg. \$45.00, reduced to \$34.50

9x14 ft., reg. \$41.00, reduced to \$32.15

10.6x14 ft., reg. \$51.50, reduced to \$40.50

## French Wilton Rugs

Hardwick & Magee's "fine-as-silk"

Wiltons—Rugs of magnificent quality

and rich pattern designing—9x12 ft.

size only.

Regularly \$60.00, at \$45.00 and \$52.50

(Third Floor—New Building.)

## Remarkable July Sale of China, Cut Glass and Silverware

The next few days will be abundant with timely, and remarkable savings for visitors to the China, Cut Glass and Silverware Sections.

Inventory time is nearing and stocks must be lowered to the required level—so we've planned a most unusual 3-Day stock-lessening effort that brings some of the greatest values ever known to those sections.

You're undoubtedly aware of the sterling qualities of our China, Cut Glass and Silverware—that there's nothing here but what ought to be in a store with such strict quality standards.

## China Dinnerware

A Full Third Off

Two dainty patterns of Austrian

China that were \$19.65 for a set of

101 pieces, will be reduced for 3 days

to \$13.10—exactly a third below the